Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 14 Dec 2021 until 23:59 on Wednesday 15 Dec 2021

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 14 Dec 2021 at 02:39

Confidence: High for increasingly settled, dry but rather cloudy conditions, but lower with regard to cloud details.

Headline for Tuesday 14 Dec 2021: Mainly dry with sunny spells. Strong southwesterly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 14 Dec 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG	FOG
Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog	Fog
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	<05%

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Weather: Rather cloudy across southern and western hills with a few spots of drizzle, otherwise dry with clear spells overnight. A largely dry and bright day is expected, although southern and western hills look cloudier with, at first, a few spots of drizzle with northern and eastern hills seeing some good spells of sunshine.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Little chance across southern and western hills, but around 75% across the north and east.

Visibility: Periods or persistent cloud above 300-450m across southern and western fells, but cloud more occasional above about 600m across the north and east. Away from cloud visibility good or very good falling to several kilometres in drizzle.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	20/24 SW	24/29 SW	26/34 SW	28/37 SW	29/38 SW	29/39 SW	30/40 SW
600	13/17 SW	16/21 SW	20/27 SW	20/28 SW	20/29 SW	21/30 SW	21/30 SW
300	4/9 SW	7/16 S	12/22 SW	12/24 SW	12/25 SW	13/27 SW	13/26 SW
Valley	4/9 SW	7/16 S	11/20 SW	12/23 SW	12/25 SW	13/26 SW	13/26 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	3/-2	3/-3	4/-2	3/-3	3/-4	3/-4	3/-3
600	5/1	5/1	6/1	5/0	5/0	5/0	5/0
300	7/5	7/5	8/5	8/4	7/4	7/4	8/4
Valley	7/6	8/6	9/6	9/6	8/5	9/6	9/6
Freezing Level*	1600m	1500m	1500m	1500m	1300m	1300m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts around 45mph over ridges and summits. Thaw of lying snow.

Forecast for Wednesday 15 Dec 2021

Weather: Mostly cloudy across the south and west with patchy drizzle, and a thaw of lying snow continuing. Eastern and northern hills expected to see some good spells of sunshine.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 25-30mph, gusts around 45mph over ridges and summits, easing 15-20 mph by afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Little chance across southern and western hills, but nearer 75% across more eastern and northern hills.

Visibility: Periods or persistent above 300-450m, but cloud more occasional above 600m in the north and east. Away from cloud visibility good, perhaps falling to several kilometres in drizzle.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 6 or 7 Celsius rising to plus 11 Celsius by day
At 800m: Around plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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